

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SEOUL

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9444

INFO AMCONSUL HONG KONG

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

CINCPAC

USMISSION USUN NEW YORK

S E C R E T SEOUL 5330

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, KS

SUBJECT: EXERCISE FOAL EAGLE

REF: STATE 158246

1. EMBASSY CONCURRED JULY 20 IN CINCUNC MESSAGE TO CINCPAC RECOMMENDING THAT PLANNING FOR EXERCISE FOAL EAGLE BE ALLOWED TO PROCEED, WITH CAVEAT THAT EMBASSY WOULD HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO REVIEW EXERCISE AGAIN BEFORE CRITICAL CANCELLATION DATE OF OCTOBER 10. DEVELOPMENTS IN UNGA, PARTICULARLY IF UNC IS FOCUS OF DEBATE COULD EFFECT DESIRABILITY OF HOLDING EXERCISE IN NOVEMBER TIMEFRAME. BELIEVE IT IS WORTH DELAYING FINAL REVIEW UNTIL SITUATION IN NEW YORK CAN BE BETTER JUDGED.

2. IN VIEW LINK TO UNGA DEVELOPMENTS BELIEVE DEPARTMENT MAY WISH SECURE USUN VIEWS AS WE GET CLOSER TO CRITICAL CANCELLATION DATE.  
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